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RECEPTOR CAPABLE OF BEING INTERNALIZED

LETTER

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C.

SIR:

In response to the Communication mailed March 18, 2003, the translation to the application is enclosed herewith.

A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.

Respectfully submitted,

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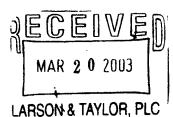
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COMMUNICATION

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This communication is to inform applicants that a review of the application file reveals that applicants' response to the Notification of Missing Requirements (PCT/DO/EO/905) filed 19 September 2001 did not address all the objections mentioned in the PCT/DO/EO/905 of 31 August 2001. Applicants failed to submit the English translation of application PCT/FR00/00113 as well as the \$130.00 surcharge for submitting a translation after 30 months from the priority date.

Applicants are hereby given TWO (02) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication to respond to the objection mentioned above. Failure to properly respond to this communication will result in abandonment of the application as to the national stage in the United States. Extensions of time are available under 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b).

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